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Hello,

I'd like to make a few comments about my Willamette River. My family moved to the Portland area a century ago. My mother, myself and my son were all born in Portland. We love the Willamette.

I think the Draft cleanup option "G" with amendments is best. It has the goal of the cleanup being to end the Fish Consumption Advisory, for all individuals, including breast feeding women, related to pollutants found in the Portland Harbor. I would like the EPA to provide a date by which the advisory will be lifted.

The present EPA plan removes far too little contaminated sediment from the river. After research from a few sources, I recommend that at least 1000 acres of polluted sediment be removed.

The EPA's present plan prescribes far too much "Monitored Natural Recovery" which in essence leaves polluted material in the river, and monitors it over time.

Those who have liability for the PCBs, PAH, DDT and other toxic and persistent pollutants in the river sediments, must meet their community obligation to do the right thing and conduct a comprehensive and timely cleanup. We have waited far too long for this to happen.

Sincerely, (b) (6)